



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: David C. Challener et al.

Group Art Unit: 3621

Serial No: 10/637,889

Examiner: Jacob C. Coppola

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Title: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR VERIFYING THE IDENTITY OF A REMOTE
METER TRANSMITTING UTILITY USAGE DATA

AMENDMENT

Mail Stop Amendment

Commissioner for Patents

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Honorable Sir:

In response to an Office Action mailed 12/04/2008, please amend the above-identified application as follows: